

**PATENT**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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In re Application of: : Docket: PST 6366  
HELLSTEN, M., et al. :  
Serial No.: unassigned : Examiner:  
Int. Filing Date: June 17, 2003 :  
PCT Appln. No.: PCT/SE2003/001015 : Group Art Unit:  
For: A DRAG REDUCING AGENT FOR USE IN :  
INJECTION WELL AT OIL RECOVERY :

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Commissioner for Patents  
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Applicants respectfully request that the above-identified application be amended as follows. Entry of the subject amendments prior to the initial examination of the present application on the merits is respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.